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IN AND ABOUT ATLANTA.

THE POSTAL TELEGRAPH TO BUILD
TO ATLANTA.

And to All the Principal Cotton Points of the South—The Annual Meeting of the Horse Guard—Other Local News of Interest.

Atlanta is going to have another telegraph line.

This time it will be the Postal Telegraph Cable company, popularly known as the Mackay-Bennett Cable company.

This information comes from Mr. D. S. Robeson, the superintendent of construction of the southwestern division of the company.

Mr. Robeson is a pleasant and enterprising gentleman.

Seated in his temporary headquarters at No. 12 South Pryor street last night he answered several questions in an easy and perfectly candid way.

"It all means simply this," said he, "the Postal Cable company, as we call it in New York, is going to extend its lines to the principal cotton points in the south. They will be built to Richmond, Norfolk, Raleigh, Charlotte, Charleston, Columbia, Augusta, Savannah, Macon, Atlanta, Birmingham, Mobile, New Orleans and other points, going as far southwest as Galveston.

"No, the line has not been extended to any point south as yet.

We are just on the eve of commencing the work. Each Atlanta's weather is not too bad the line will be operating to Atlanta sometime during the month of May.

At all events the company will be ready for business at this point by the first of June.

The Postal Cable Telegraph company is no new corporation. Its lines have been operating for the past five years, to all of the principal cities of the north and west from New York to San Francisco.

"There will be no cutting of rates and no selling out by this company. It is not a speculation. Its extension to the southern states will be permanent. The business done will be strictly legitimate, and it is proposed to give to the company any money out of the company which she has ever had.

There will be no cutting of rates, because the telegraphic rates down this way are low enough at present, but we think there is room for a better service, and propose to give it.

The reason that telegraphic rates in the south are higher than at the north, springs from the fact that there is more business to the mileage at the north.

"To give you an idea of the rapid work done by the Postal Cable company, I will only say that it has been able to connect the London stock exchange, over the Mackay-Bennett cables, in less than six minutes.

The London exchange closes about half an hour after the New York exchange opens, and the arbitration business has to be done in quick time. Some time ago a member of the New York stock exchange complained because it took him sixteen minutes to get an answer to his telegram from London. This does not often occur, however.

Time is so precious, and the Postal Cable company prides itself on its promptness.

"I do not mention this in a boastful spirit," remarked Mr. Robeson, "but simply wish to indicate that when the Postal Cable company begins to operate in the south it will take pleasure in giving the people the best possible telegraphic service, and will play for business strictly on the merit of that service."

"And, while this will be done principally for the sake of business, still a quicker and more convenient service is certain to be better for all concerned and prove a distinct benefit to the general public."

THE HORSE GUARD.

Annual Meeting at Yesterday—Business Transacted—The Company's Condition.

The Horse Guard held its annual meeting at Concordia Hall last night. There was a full attendance of members and quite a number of ladies were present.

After the company inspection, the business meeting was held.

The secretary's report showed the cash and other assets to be over \$17,000, with no debts—an excellent showing.

Mr. George M. Hope was re-elected secretary and treasurer, and Dr. Porter quarter-master—both by acclamation. The executive committee consists of Lieutenants C. W. Smith and John A. Miller, Esquire Castleberry, Secretary Hope, Sergeant Dolme and Privates Brown and Fitzgerald. The new committee on new members is to be appointed by the captain.

Captain Millidge and the members of his company are certainly to be congratulated upon the excellent condition of the Horse Guard.

A FAIR RECORD.

Only a Small Discrepancy Discovered in the Jail Books for Six Years.

It is a compliment to Colonel Thomas as sheriff, and to Jailers Poole and Osborne, that Mr. W. F. Parkhurst, the expert accountant, after going through the jail books, extending over six years, found only a small discrepancy in them.

In one instance a prisoner is carried over, and an overcharge of thirty dollars is figured out, though it is not absolutely certain that there is not some explanation of this; and in another the jailer has neglected to credit the sheriff with ten dollars rightfully due the office.

The commissioners will investigate and pass upon the matter today.

Sheriff Thomas said yesterday, "I knew there were some little errors both ways, and I hoped that they would balance each other. But the amount is not sufficient to worry me. Any man who is not absolutely sure yet that upon careful examination we may be found even, if not ahead. The men under my employ at the jail are not combination men, and do not claim to be expert accountants, but they are eminently well capacitated, to fill the positions that they hold."

DEATH OF MRS. F. B. LAW.

After Weeks of Suffering She Passed Away Yesterday.

With sincere sadness THE CONSTITUTION chronicles the death of Mrs. F. B. Law, which occurred yesterday.

During weeks of almost unrelenting suffering, as every day grew weaker and every hour dearer, the evidences of a pure, noble and lovely life were indelibly impressed upon the hearts of all who knew her.

The ornament of a meek and quiet spirit characterized her in all the relations of life. Now that her pure spirit has winged its flight to the world above, those who loved her once and revere her still feel that this earth was to her only a resting place between the world and heaven.

In common with a host of friends, THE CONSTITUTION extends its warmest sympathy to the bereaved husband and motherless children.

The following gentlemen are requested to act as pall-bearers: Messrs. W. H. Russell, C. S. Kingsbury, J. W. Hughes, J. H. Allen, worth, C. H. Cotton, E. G. Thomas, John T. Hall, Jr., and H. W. Dozier.

They will meet at No. 21 Carrier street this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

AT WEST END.

New Councilmen Take Hold—Trustees of the Academy.

Out at West End, Messrs. J. T. Hunnicutt, Forrest Adair and Burgess Smith, the new members of the academy, took the oath of office. Messrs. Adair and Smith are new members; Mr. Hunnicutt begins a new term.

The stockholders of the West End academy held a meeting last night and elected Mr. M. Taylor, Colonel Malcolm Johnston and Dr. William Crenshaw trustees for three years, all by a unanimous vote. The by-laws were changed so as to make the mayor ex-officio member of the board. All are highly pleased with the condition of the school.

Remember the big minstrel matinee this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The greatest minstrel show on the road.

Angustina Plitters are the best remedy for removing indigestion and all the diseases of the digestive organs.

THE LOCAL STAGE.

Teddy was there and so were Grimes and Snuggs and all the funny ones. It was "A Beach of Keys," perennial but ever popular.

The opera house was almost crowded as it will be for Thatcher, Primrose and West this afternoon and tonight—but of course not quite. Everybody went to have a good time and everybody had just that. The house was fairly captured by the funny, frolics antics of the gang of merry makers.

There isn't much to say about it. Hoy's popular complimentation of incidents connected with hotel life on an exaggerated piano has been seen here several times before. It is the same old "Bunch," but with good people and just as funny as ever.

Marietta Nash was a favorite as Teddy and Clara Coleman was pretty and attractive as Dolly. Lee Harrison was a clever Grimes and George Lauri was funny as Snuggs. The company as a whole is a first-class one.

This afternoon a special Tuesday matinee, the popular favorite Thatcher, Primrose and West's minstrels, The same bill tonight. The company is the best on the road.

Thatcher, Primrose & West's Minstrels.

Today at matinee and at night this famous organization will appear in the opera house in a package of gorgeous elegance never witnessed in the south. Each of the three stars are well known, and there is no need to introduce them. They are at the head of the largest company which ever came to Atlanta, and their performance is a completely new one, enhanced by a splendor of music and scene whose original and hard to imagine. Such a combination of musical gems, witty sayings, comical doings, wonderful specialties and gorgeous displays, all unknown as such as ensembles to this day, make the entertainment more of an event than a mere show.

A telegram from Macon announces the fact that every seat in the opera house was sold at 2 o'clock yesterday—six hours before the performance began.

The Little Tycoon.

"The Little Tycoon," coming in Atlanta next Wednesday, will present one of the most charming entertainments of many seasons. It is, as such, as good as a sure success. It is a long, perfect comedy, including a complete orchestra, a chorus of young and pretty girls, and is headed by such good actors as Mrs. L. B. Smith, Miss Marie Marie Sanger, Lloyd Wilson, Alfrick Libby, Thomas Leacock and others. The company brings a career of success and its costumes are as rich as money could make them. The stage specialties are declared by exchanges to be of a beauty and artistic display. Everybody has a shout upon the excellence of "The Little Tycoon," for it has been a success in every city it has visited, and the same company which has given it in the north with such uniform and continued success.

Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde.

The Baltimore American has appreciated last month its presentation by Mr. Theo. Hamilton.

"Mr. Theo. Hamilton has undoubtedly scored a triumph in his artistic representation of the dual character of 'Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde.' Mr. Hyde is the most extraordinary conception from East to West, and the most complete. The play is really terrible, the ever moving claw fingers that seem to be reaching out to grasp the victim, the constant creak and walk seem to be a constant reminder of the monster. Another excellent effect is the skill in this play, and the fact that the same company which has given it in the north with such uniform and continued success."

HER GIRL GONE.

Mrs. Starnes, a Widow, Asks the Police to Look for Her Runaway Daughter.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Starnes, a widow lady, came into police headquarters to ask for help in search for an only child, Miss Katie Starnes.

The lady seemed heart-broken over the conduct of her child.

"Katie is fifteen years old," she said in reply to a question. "Saturday evening she left home and I hunted all night for her. My neighbors all helped, and we did not go to the police until this morning because we did not want to know. Sunday we found her on Marietta street at the house of a woman named Emma Martin. Katie was very pretty, and was glad to go back home, but this afternoon she disappeared from home again."

Call Officer Weston went to look for the girl, but she could not be found, and up to a late hour last night no further information regarding her had been received at police headquarters.

It is thought that the girl has left town. The case is a true mystery. The girl left without money or extra clothing.

SOCIAL GOSSIP.

Miss Janie Liddell, one of the most cultivated young ladies of Cedarhurst, who has been visiting Miss Gordon, at 111 Washington street, returns to her home today.

Rev. J. W. Lee performed the ceremony which united in marriage Mr. B. W. Brooks and Miss Jennie Pierson. The wedding was a quite one.

Mr. Henry and Walter Luman and Mr. J. M. Sanders left for Princeton last Friday.

Miss Hallie Wimberly is now the guest of Miss Sallie Sanders, on Washington street.

Mrs. Louis Stephens left yesterday to visit relatives in Macon.

The King's Daughters will meet at Mrs. Dickson's Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

Miss Nora Palmer and Miss Mary Tombs Hamilton are the guests of Mrs. Henry Cobb, on Capitol avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Amoroso have returned from Florida, where they have been spending several weeks.

Mrs. Thomas Clarke gives a theater party Wednesday evening.

One of the prettiest evening gowns worn in Atlanta this season is that of the beautiful bride, and is made by Paul Rosa's dressmaker in New York, after one worn by that spirited actress. The skirt of pale pink silk is made in accordance with the fashion and is fastened with a puffed veil or soft white lace.

Bronze slippers were all the rage the first of the season; then tan with gold roses and buckles were considered the best; now the newest thing out is an undressed low cut kid with a steel buckle.

The second edition of the season will be given on Thursday evening at the Kimball.

The favors have been ordered from New York and are the newest and handsomest out. The favors for each are made for their taste and elegance in obtaining, and this will be a perfect affair in every respect.

Miss Mamie and Sallie Dunbar, of Augusta, Ga., will arrive tomorrow to be the guests of Miss Carrie Crane, on Washington street. The Misses Dunbar fully sustain the reputation which Augusta has for beautiful women. They have been reigning belles in society since their debut.

So mild has been the winter that the roses have not lost their leaves, and some bushes in Mr. W. A. Hemphill's beautiful garden on Peachtree are full of half-blown pink buds.

Mrs. William Lowe's reception Wednesday evening will be an elegant affair, and all the dress-makers are busy making elegant new gowns for the occasion.

Backache is almost immediately relieved by using one of Carter's Small Pills. One or two Belladonna Backache Plasters. Try one and be free from pain. Price 25 cents.

SIX INCHES DEEP.

ARE TWO SMALL COFFINS FOUND
BURIED.

A Short-Meter Way of Disposing of the Dead—Boys Open the Coffins and the Body Is Found Missing From One.

The Exposition mills cemetery.

It furnished something of a sensation yesterday and a hurried investigation by the police goes to show that there are a good many buried sensations out there.

They are not buried deep, either.

Sunday a grave was being dug there for the body of an infant. Between or twenty men were gathered about the grave watching the work, when one of them remarked:

"I believe one of these graves around here has been broken open."

"I've noticed that ever since we've been here," said another.

"I expect it's that baby's grave," remarked a boy in the group.

"Where?" asked several.

"Right over there."

The boy, John Sisk, pointed to a spot about ten feet away. Nothing was there to mark a grave except three or four small stones.

"Is that thing a grave?"

"The what it is?"

The boy picked up a stick about a foot long and bending over the grave thrust the stick down through the soft surface soil for four or five inches until it stopped against a solid substance.

"There," he remarked, "you can feel the coffin."

Five or six curious bystanders tested the matter for themselves. It was certainly a solid substance. By using the stick as a shovel and hrowing up a few handfuls of dirt the truth of the boy's remark was shown.

It was a coffin.

About a foot long and six inches wide—a plain pine box.

"That lid's rotted," remarked one of the group as he rattled it with his stick.

Raising it with the stick the nearly decayed body of an infant was seen.

"Yes," said one of the boys, "We opened it here one day. There's another one right up yonder."

"Buried like that?"

"Yes, only not so deep."

The boy picked up the boys to a secluded spot about a hundred feet away. This grave was at the foot of a pine tree. The dirt was brushed from the lid and there was another coffin—a baby's.

It was not three inches under the leaves.

When the lid was raised it was seen that the box was a coffin.

"I don't believe there was ever a baby in that," said one.

"Yes, there was," said another. "I saw 'em that night when they buried it."

"Yes," said another, "this is the one where the children said the dogs got the body. They put the lid back on and scraped the dirt over it."

The police were notified of the matter. Detectives Bedford and Cason learned that both the bodies had been buried at night, and that both the babies were born healthy and sound.

Neither lived three days—and both were buried at night. Neither was buried over six weeks deep. That's burying the dead by short meter.

Thatcher, Primrose & West's programme for Atlanta:

Twelve o'clock, grand street parade.

Two o'clock, special Tuesday matinee.

Eight o'clock, grand evening performance.

PERSONAL.

C. J. DANIEL, wall paper, window shades and room furniture, 42 Marietta street. Telephone 72.

The banquet annually given by Messrs. Allen & Ginter, of Richmond, Va., to their staff, is, we are informed, apocryphal for the first time. Mr. R. T. Small, manager of their southern depot, left on the 6 p. m. R. & D. train yesterday to attend this entertainment. Mr. Small is an agreeable, wide awake, progressive man. We wish him much pleasure and a safe return from the scene of festivities. His office No. 6 Wall street, will be kept open in his brief absence by J. Strange, and the demands of the trade supplied.

Twenty years and more of trial show that SIZOTONOT deserves public confidence completely. And its object fully serves. Snooty tests, gums hard and ruddy, Twill confer on everybody.

Dr. Cheney's Cough Cure is the greatest best cough preventive in the world. It has no equal. Even a few drops have given relief to my own child when threatened with a severe case of croup.

REV. J. F. EDEN, Covington, Ga.

Lucy Hinton the Leader.

Lucy Hinton tobacco, manufactured by F. C. Williams & Co., Richmond, Va., is finest and best chewed. Beware of imitations.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

LAW.—The friends and acquaintances of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Lott and Mrs. E. G. Ross are requested to attend the funeral of Mrs. Lott from the First Baptist church, at three o'clock this afternoon. The following gentlemen are requested to act as pall-bearers and will please meet at the residence, at Currier street, promptly at two o'clock: W. A. Russell, C. S. Kingsbury, J. W. Hughes, J. H. Allenworth, G. H. Cotton, E. G. Thomas, John T. Hall, Jr., H. W. Dozier.

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We want your watch and clock repairing. We are getting a great deal of work now, but we want more. So bring in your timepieces. If they are fine ones, so much the better. Our Mr. Watts is a graduate of the finest watch school in Europe and has had many years practical experience.

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On account of age and inability to do necessary repairs, the owner of a valuable brick hotel offers to sell at a very low price, or exchange for any good paying property. For particulars see
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Cream Balm.

I was so much troubled with catarrh of the bladder, that I was unable to do any work. My voice was affected, and I was in great pain. One bottle of Ely's Cream Balm cured me. I feel like a new man. My voice is fully restored. —H. E. LIPSCHUTZ, A. M., Pastor of the Orthodox Church, 114 West 11th St., New York.

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Weather Report.
INDICATIONS:
WASHINGTON January 7.—Indications for Georgia:
Fair; slightly warmer; variable winds.

Observer's Office, Signal Service, U. S. A.
UNITED STATES CUSTOM HOUSE,
ATLANTA, GA., JANUARY 7.—7 p. m.

All observations taken at the same moment of actual time at each place.

LOCAL OBSERVATION.
ATLANTA, GA., JANUARY 7.—7 p. m.

Maximum Thermometer.
Minimum Thermometer.

Wind.
Direction.

Clouds.
Amount.

Relative Humidity.
Dew Point.

Barometer.
Height.

A DAY IN COURT.

CASES DISPOSED OF IN THE VARIOUS COURTS YESTERDAY.

The Day's Work in All the Departments—The Courts in Full Blast—New Cases Filed and News About Others.

Yesterday was a busy day about the courts.

It was the first work day of the new year. Beginning at the beginning, Judge Marshall J. Clarke began hearing cases in chambers.

There was an important suit in which some of the leading attorneys were engaged, that came up first.

It was the case of Con Henderson, by next of kin, against the Western and Atlantic railroad. It appears that on November 30th, 1887, Con Henderson was killed by a train of the Western and Atlantic railroad, and had a leg cut off. A suit was brought for \$10,000 damages, and the case is being argued in chambers.

It will be continued tomorrow.

The Criminal Docket.
Judge Richard H. Clark took up the criminal docket and began the trial of William Sayre, local agent for the Fairbanks company, of Chicago, who is being prosecuted by that firm for larceny after trust. The case is a very tedious one, and the state was not through at the hour of adjournment.

Mail Agent H. S. Moore, who killed Hon. J. M. Hunt, of Catonsville, was brought into court, and his trial was fixed for the third Monday, January 21, before Judge Marshall J. Clarke, because Judge Richard H. Clark would be absent at Douglas court.

In City Court, Judge Howard Van Epps and Solicitor O'Brien wound up the sneak thieves.

Clarence Payne, for stealing an undershirt, pleaded guilty, and was sentenced fifty dollars or six months.

George Milton, for pointing a pistol at another, case not pressed. But on the charge of carrying concealed weapons, George was convicted and sentenced six months.

Julie Traylor, for carrying concealed weapons, was fined fifty dollars or four months. Israel Hill, who stole a hat from Morris & Murphy, was given fifty dollars or five months.

Josephine Anderson was convicted on three separate indictments for larceny, first from a house, and given four months on each. Josephine had a habit of hiring out to a family and remaining just long enough to be able to help herself to household goods, and then decamp.

M. W. Gaynard carried a little pistol, and now he will pay a fine of fifty dollars, or serve four months in the gaol.

Hiram Loebe was convicted of larceny from the house, and fined \$25, or four months.

Charles Williams got six months for robbing S. Marlan's store.

Frank Glover was sentenced six months for carrying concealed weapons.

Robert Rynum, the thief who stole sixteen silk handkerchiefs from J. M. High, was sentenced \$50, or six months.

Among the Magistrates.
Judges Manning and Landrum began by simply calling their dockets.

Judge Pat H. Owens signified his first day since his reelection by sending five negroes to jail. They were George Dickson and Bob Fields, simple larceny; John Woody, for stealing a shirt, and Henry Davis, for simple larceny, and a witness in the case, who was held until the full hearing.

Owing to the fact that Justice Tanner has not, as yet, vacated his office, Justice King has not received his appointment. This will probably occur today, when Justice Tanner takes charge of the clerk's office.

Before the Ordinary.
Ordinary Calhoun was busy all day finishing up the bonds for the county officers who will qualify and be sworn in and assume the duties of their offices today. There will be a meeting of the county commissioners at 11 a. m., to pass upon the securities of the various officers. The bonds are all ready and nothing remains but for the officers to come up and make their bonds.

All the new officers will go in today.

The Clerk's Office.
In city court two suits were filed, the first by R. B. Brightwell, against W. R. Phillips, Jr.; W. C. Speer and W. A. Mitchell, for \$100 damages. The complaint is based on the forcible seizure of a fine parlor set, worth \$100, in the house of the complainant, at 246 West First street, last November.

Complainant further sets forth that his wife, when she protested against the action of defendants, was made the subject of derision and ridicule by a crowd of bystanders attracted there by the disturbance, and that she was finally arrested at the instance of defendants and the officer started to the stationhouse with her.

Mrs. Minnie Brightwell brings a suit against the same parties for \$1,000, basing her complaint on the same general grounds, and claiming that Mitchell was acting the part of a constable in an illegal manner because he was out of his own district.

Judge C. H. Strong, retiring clerk, will remain about the clerk's office for some time, as he wishes to wind up the business fully. There are a good many mortgages, deeds and other documents to be placed on file, and he is very desirous that everybody having such documents there will come and get them at once, as he wants to leave the office with nothing left undone. As to his future course, he says that he will probably take a short rest and look around for some suitable business in which to engage. After eight years' service he finds that he is pretty well worn, and he wants to rest up.

Mr. Arnold Boyles will go into the active practice of his profession, he having been admitted to the bar a short time previous to his entering the office.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is a purely vegetable preparation, being free from all injurious ingredients. It is prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. Sold by all druggists.

WEAK LUNGS OR THROATS, are severely tried by our rough winter weather, and call for prompt treatment whenever attacked. Dr. Jayne's Expecto-rant is an old, well-tried medicine for all Bronchial or Pulmonary Affections, and is sure to cure your cold and heal inflamed parts.

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SEVERAL CONTESTS FILED.

Three of Them a From Full County—A Contest in Fulton County.

Notices of contest have been filed at the executive office as follows:
J. J. Price will contest the election of J. Jordan as justice of the peace for the 18th militia district of Fulton county. Ground, illegal votes.

W. A. Bradley will contest the election of W. C. Horton as justice of the peace for the 40th district of Fulton county.

J. D. Fountain will contest the election of Paul Kelly as justice of the peace of the 7th district of Chatham county.

Thomas A. Fildford will contest the election of Frank McEnroe as justice of the peace of the 1st district of Chatham.

Joseph H. Smith will contest the election of Pat H. Owens as justice of the peace of the 1925th district of Fulton.

George J. Atney will contest the election of H. I. Manson as justice of the peace of the 773d district of Muscogee county.

J. A. Brown will contest the election for justice of the peace in the 64th district of Coweta.

W. L. Marshall will contest the election of justice of the peace in the 76th district of Houston county.

Notice of contest of election of county officers were received at the executive department as follows, yesterday:
H. S. Bell gave notice that he would contest the election of J. W. Roberts as ordinary of Terrell county, but it came too late. The commission was issued to J. W. Roberts on Saturday.

T. J. Pileier asks that the governor shall withhold commission from J. L. Burkholder, treasurer of Wilcox county, as he will contest his election.

William M. McEas will contest the election of John J. Rogers as ordinary of Dodge county, and James Taylor will contest the election of J. C. Rogers as tax collector of Dodge county.

J. L. Bankston, attorney for the contestants, will contest the election of all the county officers in Wilcox county. They are—J. S. McCall, ordinary; J. M. Gordon, clerk; H. Gordon, sheriff; P. McEas, tax collector; J. A. Owens, tax receiver; S. Brown, county surveyor; and Troy Smith, coroner. The names of the contestants are not given in Mr. Bankston's letter.

W. T. Kirk has notified the governor, as corner of Cherokee county.

Commissions.
Commissions were issued to the county officers returned as elected in the following county yesterday:
Wilcox, Oglethorpe, Brooks, Stewart, Screven, Hart, Fayette, Clinch, Burke, Whitfield, Henry, Tallapoosa and Sumter.

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MEETINGS.
All members of the Polymnia club are requested by the director, Alfred Barin, to meet Wednesday evening, January 9, at 7 o'clock, at the club house, to prepare for concert with the Mendelssohn Quintette club.

Masonic Notice.
A regular communication of Gate City Lodge, No. 2, F. & A. M., will be held in Masonic Hall, Atlanta, Ga., this evening at 7 o'clock. All business and work in connection with the lodge will be transacted. All members are invited to be present.

EUGENE HARDEMAN, Secretary.

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